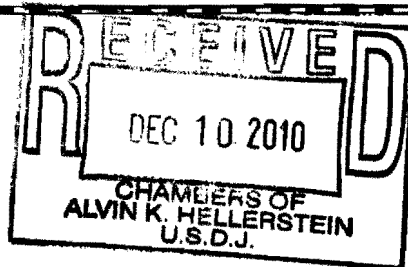


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Honorable Alvin K. Hellerstein  
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United States Court House  
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Courtroom: 14D  
New York, New York 10007

*So Ordered*  
*12-20-10*  
*Alvin K. Hellerstein*

**Re: Sovereign Bank v. Northern Leasing Systems, Inc.  
Case No. 10 Civ. 5530 (AKH)**

Dear Judge Hellerstein:

This office represents Defendant in the above-referenced action.

On November 19, 2010, the parties appeared before your Honor and following a discussion of the motion for summary judgment that had been filed by Plaintiff, advised you that the parties had agreed to a briefing schedule that provided for Defendant's opposition to be served on December 10, 2010, and Plaintiff's reply on December 23, 2010. While no order was issued encompassing those dates, we believe your Honor and/or your Clerk made note of them.

We are writing to advise that we have agreed to an extension of those dates, so that Defendant's opposition is now due on December 17, and Plaintiff's reply is due on January 7, 2011.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Ruth C. Haber".

Ruth C. Haber

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cc: Louis DeLucia, Esq. (Via Facsimile 212-745-5044)

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